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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
Jean COTTERET  
Alain LAGRANGE

Serial No.: 10/735,259

Filed: December 12, 2003

For: DYEING COMPOSITION COMPRISING  
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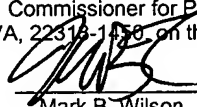
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**I. AMENDMENT; II. RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED  
AUGUST 3, 2005; AND III. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit this response to the Office Action dated August 3, 2005 ("the Action"), for which the date for response was November 3, 2005. A request for a one-month extension of time to respond is included herewith along with the required fee. This one-month extension will bring the due date to December 3, 2005, which is within the six-month

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statutory period. Because December 3 falls on a Saturday, the due date is extended to Monday, December 5 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.7.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3.

**Remarks and the Response to Office Action** begin on page 71.

**A Request for a One-Month Extension of Time** begins on page 72.

Reconsideration of the application in view of the amendment and response contained herein is respectfully requested.